

# User's Guide

IEEE 802.11n Wireless PCI Adapter

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# Overview

Thank you for purchasing this product. Read this chapter to know about your IEEE 802.11n Wireless PCI Adapter.

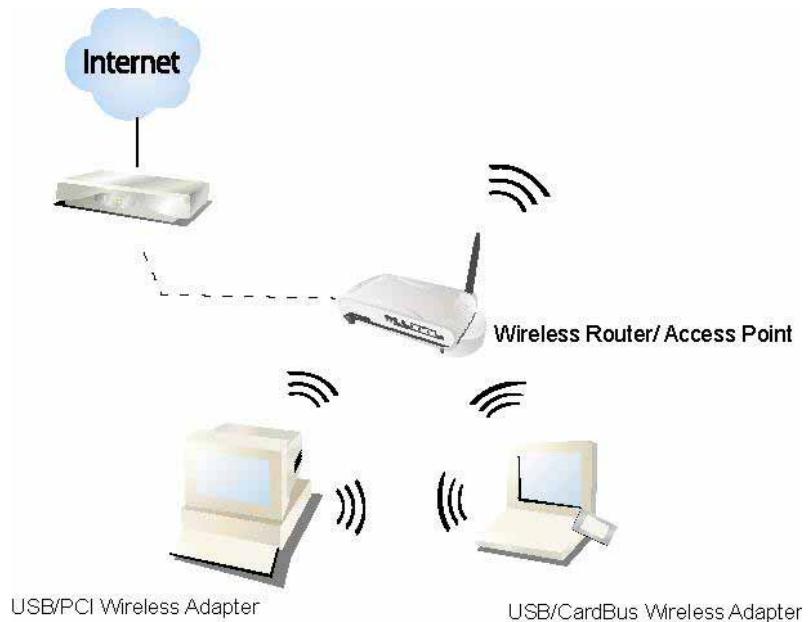
## Unpacking Information

Before getting started, please verify that your package includes the following items:

1. IEEE 802.11n Wireless PCI Adapter.
2. Three detachable antennae.
3. One Utility/ Manual CD.

## Introduction to the IEEE 802.11n Wireless PCI Adapter

The IEEE 802.11n Wireless PCI adapter provides users to launch IEEE 802.11n wireless network at 300 Mbps in the 2.4GHz band, which is also compatible with IEEE 802.11b/g wireless devices at 11/54 Mbps. You can configure this adapter with Ad-hoc mode to connect to other 2.4GHz wireless computers, or with Infrastructure mode to connect to a wireless AP or router for accessing to Internet. This adapter includes a convenient Utility for scanning available networks and saving preferred networks that users usually connected with. Security encryption can also be configured by this Utility.



## Key Features

- Complies with IEEE 802.11n/b/g wireless standards
- 2.4GHz Frequency band, MIMO 2T3R
- Complies with PCI 2.3
- High Speed transfer data rate up to 300 Mbps
- Supports auto-installation.
- Supports driver for Windows 2000, XP 32/64, Vista 32/64
- Supports QoS: WMM, WMM-PS
- Supports wireless data encryption with 64/128-bit WEP, WPA, WPA2
- Supports Multiple BSSID

## Installation Guide

### Software Installation

**Note:** The following driver installation guide uses Windows XP as the presumed operation system. The procedures and screens in Windows 2000 and Vista are familiar with Windows XP.

1. Insert this product to your computer. The system finds the newly installed device automatically. Click **Cancel** to close this window.

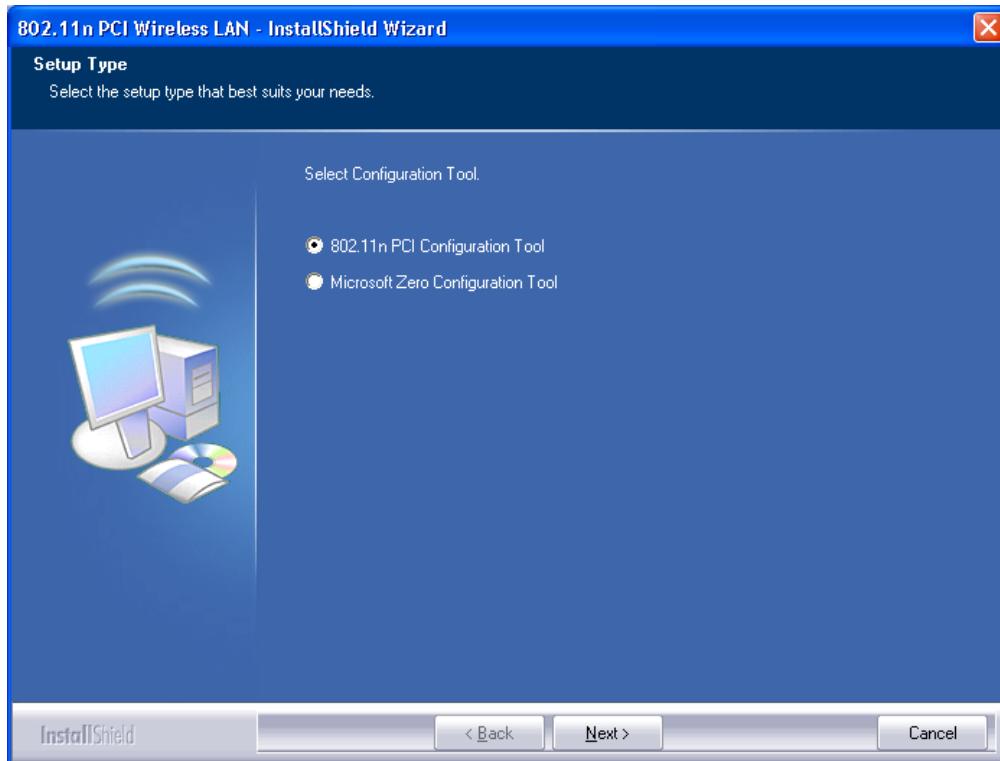


2. Insert the CD-Rom that came with this product to your CD-Rom drive. The menu window pops up automatically. Please click the **Driver** button of this product.

**Note:** If the CD-Rom fails to auto-run, please click on **My Computer**> **your CD-Rom drive**> **(folder of this product)**> **Driver** then double-click the **Setup** icon to start this menu.

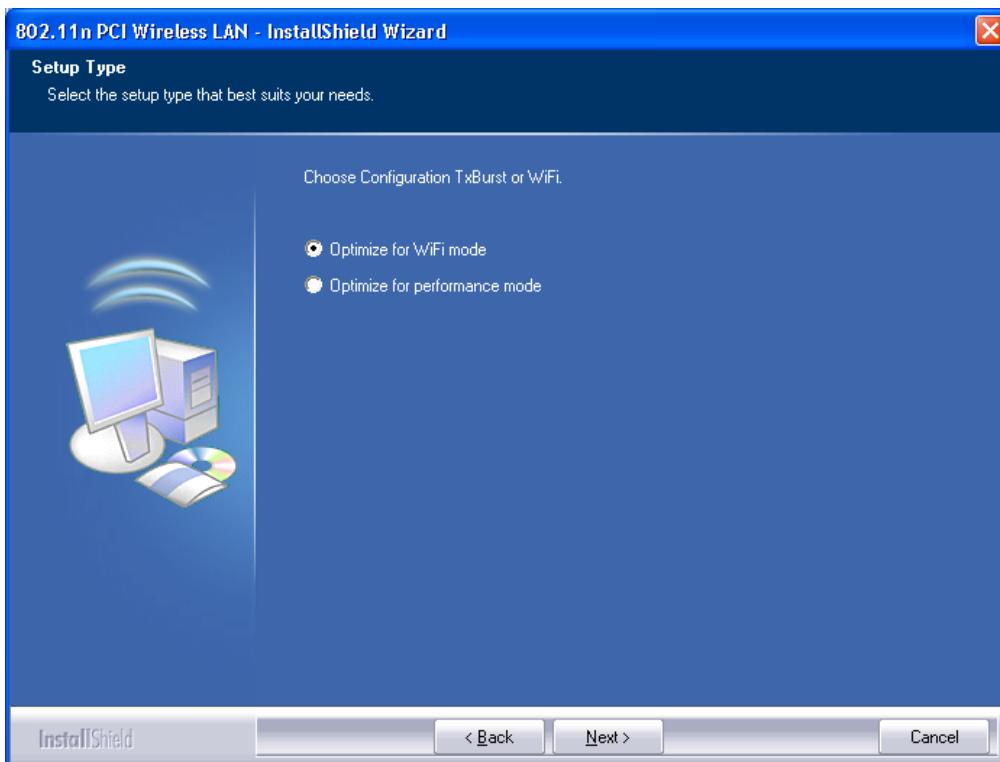
3. Select if you are going to configure your wireless network with this device or with Microsoft Zero Configuration tool.

**Note:** This can be changed after installing this software.

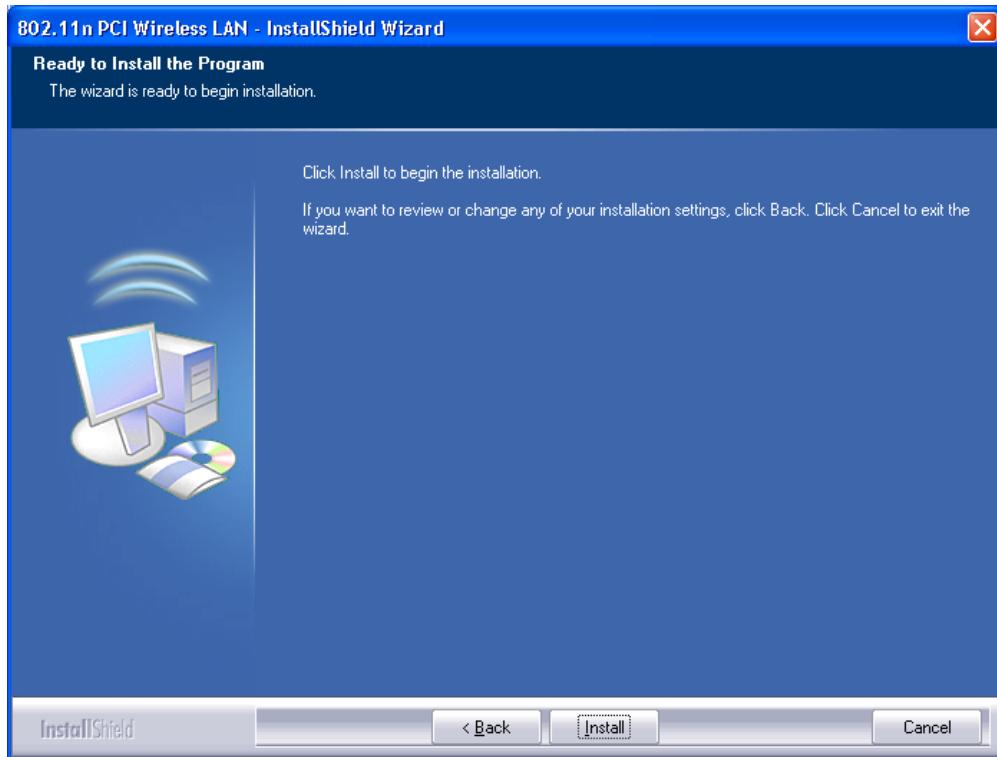


4. Select to optimize this adapter in WiFi mode or performance mode.

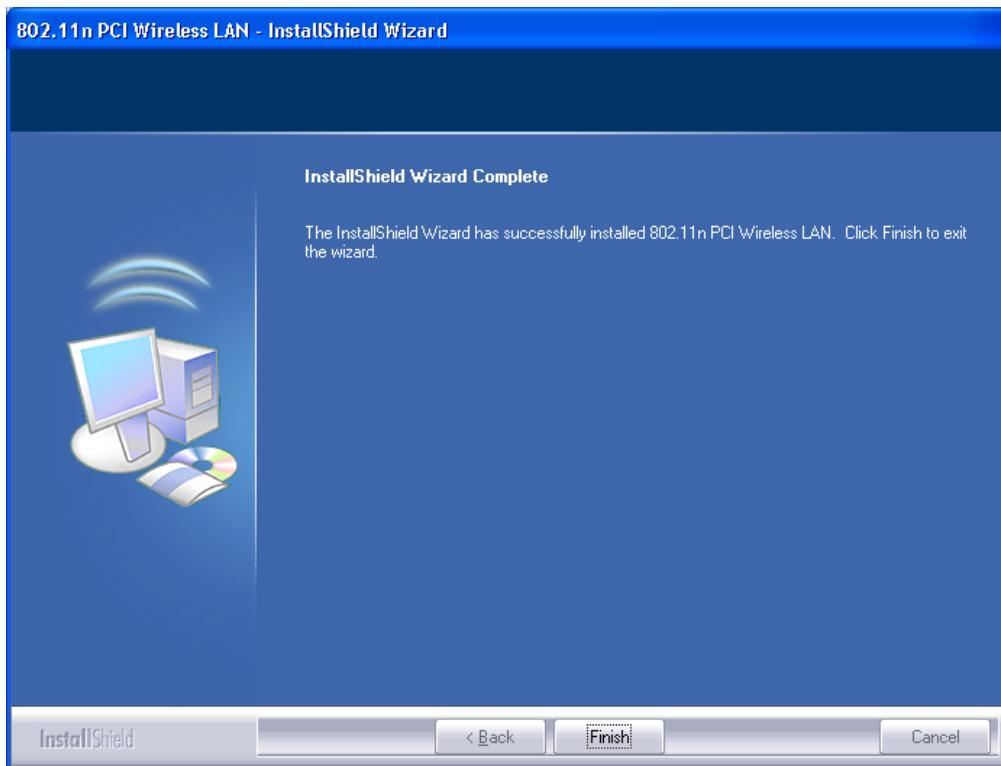
**Note:** The performance mode is only available while connecting to a TX Burst supported AP. Users that uses the AP without TX Burst please select WiFi mode (standard mode).



5. Click the **Install** button to start installing.



6. Click the **Finish** button to complete installation.



# Management Guide

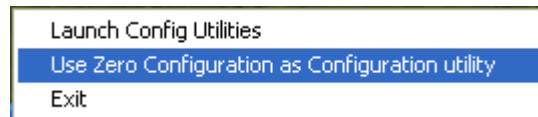
Read this chapter to understand the management interface of the device and how to manage the device.

## Making a Basic Network Connection

### Select a configuration tool

In the following instruction for making a network connection, we use the Utility we provide to configure your wireless network settings.

**Note:** You could use either the software we provide or Microsoft Zero Configuration tool to configure this adapter. To switch between the two configuration tools, please right click on the  icon on system tray to select.

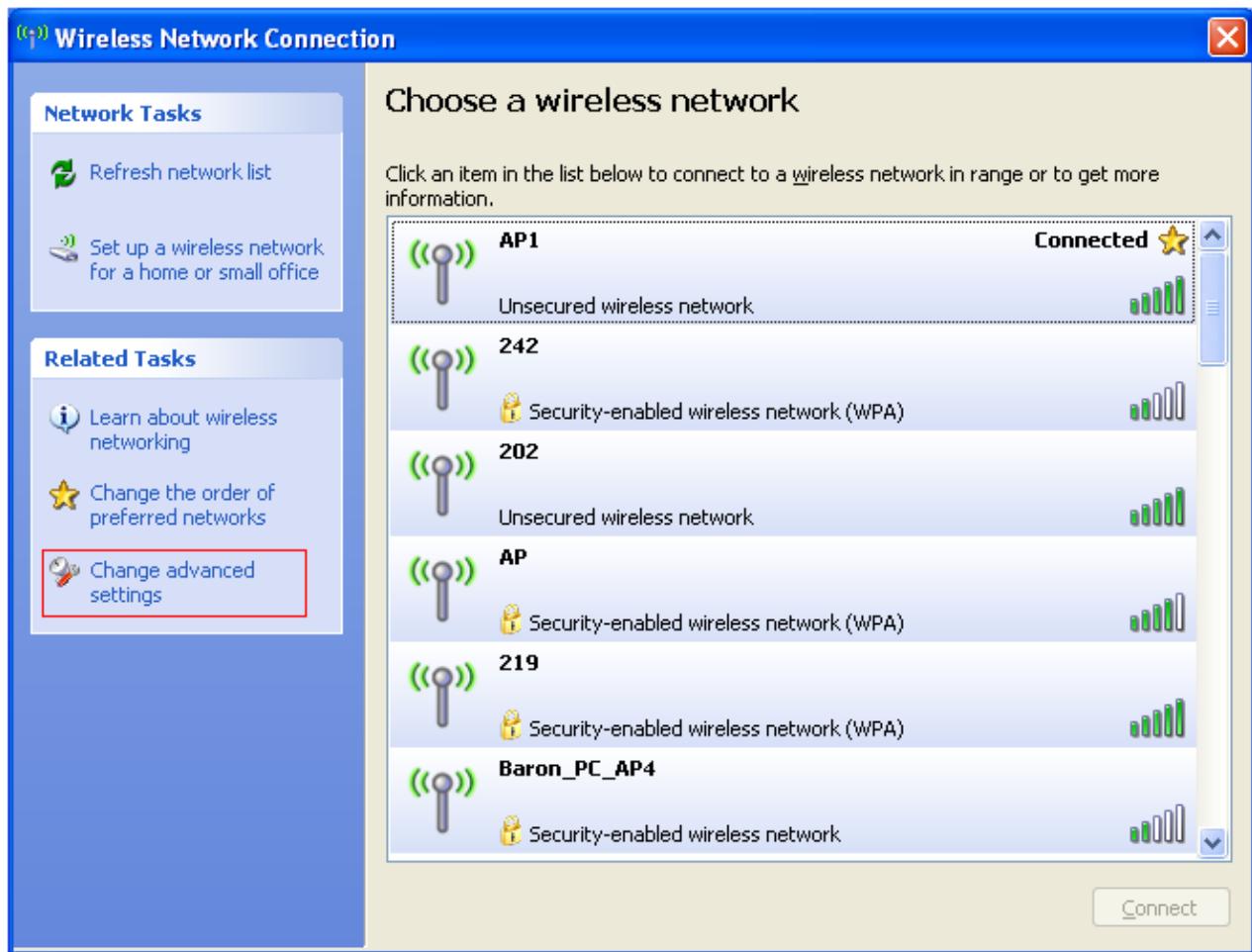


### To connect with Microsoft Zero Configuration tool

After specifying the Microsoft Zero Configuration tool to configure your wireless network, right click on the  icon on system tray. Select **View Available Wireless Networks** to specify your wireless network.

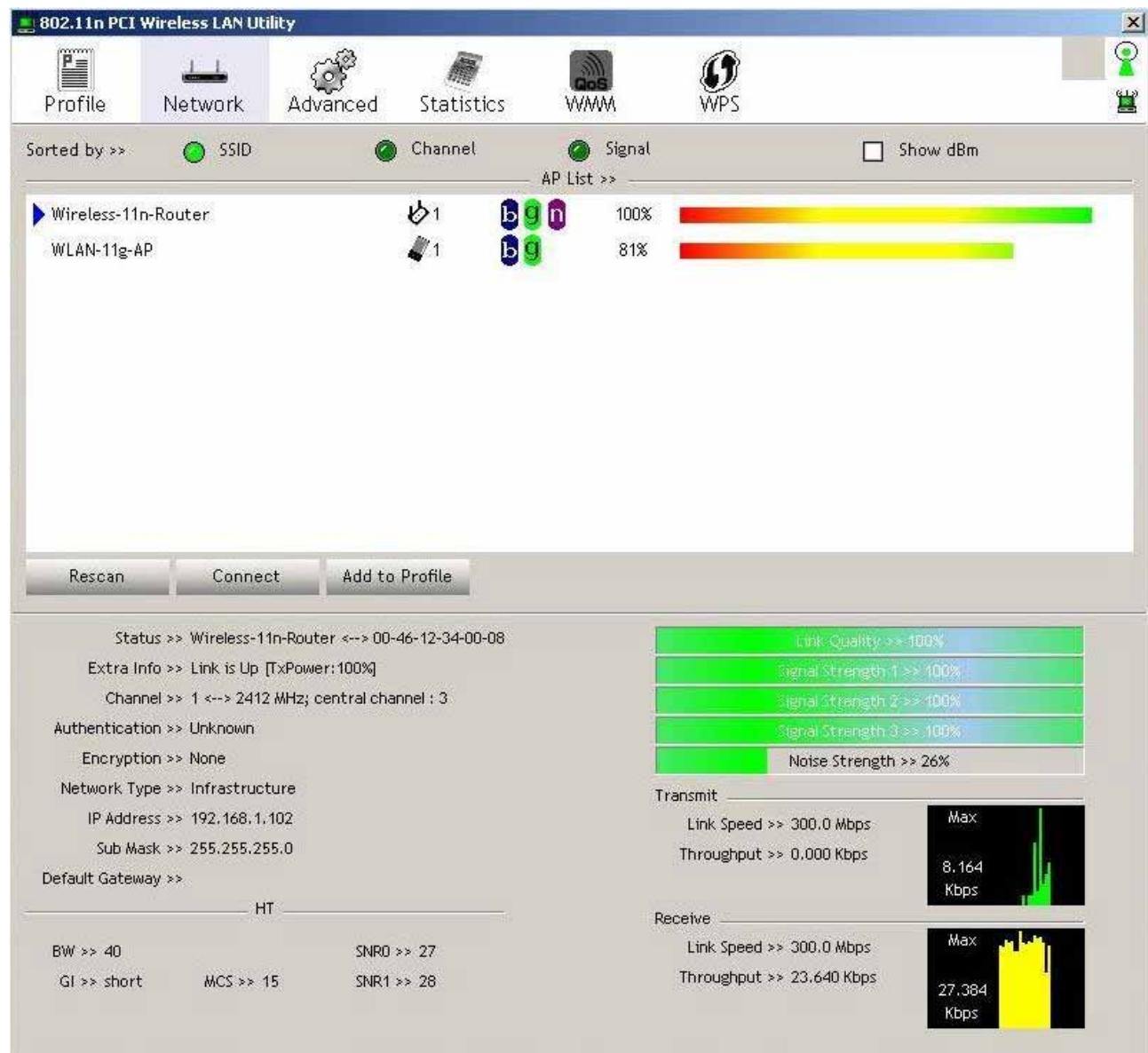


The tool shows the available wireless networks. Select your demanding network to connect with. To connect to a wireless network with more security settings, please click **Change advanced settings** to be compatible with your wireless network security settings.



## To connect with 802.11n Wireless LAN Utility

We provide this Utility for users to connect to a wireless network easily. It provides more information and configuration for this adapter. As default, the Utility is started automatically upon starting your computer and connects to a connectable wireless network with best signal strength. Right click on the  icon and select **Launch Config utilities** if the Utility does not start. Please refer to the following chapters to get information regarding to the functions of this Utility.



# Introduction to the 802.11n Wireless LAN Utility

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**Note:** The Utility in Windows Vista, Linux and Mac are different from the following. For instructions on using the Utility included in Windows Vista please refer to the instruction in [Appendix](#).

## Interfaces

This Utility is basically consisted of three parts:

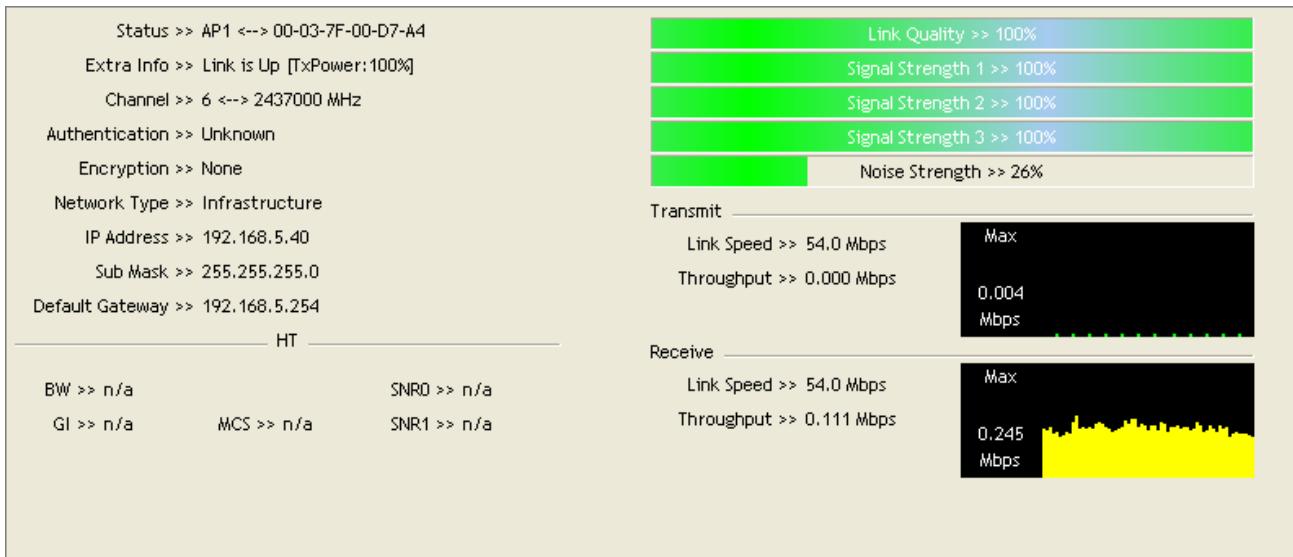
1. Functional buttons: on top of the window. You can click each button to access each configuration window.

**Note:** Click  on the top right window to enable/disable wireless connection status.  
Click  to show the wireless information.



2. Configuration column: Center of the Utility window. Make your changes for each function in this part.
3. Status information: bottom of the utility window. Shows the connection status and system information.

## Information



Items	Information
<b>Status</b>	Shows the connecting status. Also shows the SSID while connecting to a valid network.
<b>Extra Info</b>	Display link status in use.
<b>Channel</b>	Display current channel in use.
<b>Authentication</b>	Authentication mode in use.
<b>Encryption</b>	Encryption type in use.
<b>Network Type</b>	Network type in use.
<b>IP Address</b>	IP address of current connection.
<b>Sub Mask</b>	Subnet mask of current connection.
<b>Default Gateway</b>	Default gateway of current connection.
<b>Link Speed</b>	Show current transmit rate and receive rate.
<b>Throughput</b>	Display transmit and receive throughput in Mbps.
<b>Link Quality</b>	Display connection quality based on signal strength and TX/RX packet error rate.
<b>Signal Strength 1</b>	Receive signal strength 1, user can choose to display as percentage or dBm format.
<b>Signal Strength 2</b>	Receive signal strength 2, user can choose to display as percentage or dBm format.
<b>Signal Strength 3</b>	Receive signal strength 3, user can choose to display as percentage or dBm format.
<b>Noise Strength</b>	Display noise signal strength.
<b>HT</b>	Display current HT status in use, containing BW, GI, MCS, SNR0, and SNR1 value.

## Profile

This profile page allows users to save different wireless settings, which helps users to get access to wireless networks at home, office or other wireless network environments quickly.



To add a new profile:

1. Click the **Add** button. The add profile window pops up.

**Note:** you could also add a new profile quickly by selecting an available network in the **Network** function then click the **Add to Profile** button.

2. Fill in information for this profile in the system config section:

The 'System Config' dialog box has the following fields:

- Profile Name:** PROF1
- Network Type:** Infrastructure
- SSID:** AP1
- Tx Power:** Auto
- Power Save Mode:** CAM (selected)
- Preamble:** Auto
- RTS Threshold:** 2347 (sliding bar and value box)
- Fragment Threshold:** 2346 (sliding bar and value box)
- Buttons:** OK, Cancel

Items	Information
<b>Profile Name</b>	Choose a name for this profile, or use default name defined by system.
<b>SSID</b>	Fill in the intended SSID name or use the drop list to select from available Ap's.
<b>Power Save Mode</b>	Choose from CAM (Constantly Awake Mode) or PSM (Power Saving Mode).
<b>Network Type</b>	There are two types, infrastructure and 802.11 Ad-hoc modes. Under Ad-hoc mode, you could also choose the preamble type; the available preamble type includes auto and long. In addition to that, the channel field will be available for setup in Ad-hoc mode.
<b>RTS Threshold</b>	For adjusting the RTS threshold number by sliding the bar or key in the value directly. The default value is 2347.
<b>Fragment Threshold</b>	Adjust the Fragment threshold number by sliding the bar or key in the value directly. The default value is 2346.

3. Select an encryption type and fill in the corresponding wireless network information:

The screenshot shows the 'Auth. \ Encry.' tab selected in a software interface. The '8021X' tab is active. Under 'Authentication', 'Open' is selected. Under 'Encryption', 'None' is selected. There is a field for 'WPA Preshared Key' which is currently empty. Below it is a 'Wep Key' field. A section for 'Key#' contains four entries, each with a radio button and a dropdown menu set to 'Hexadecimal'. The first entry, 'Key#1', has its radio button selected. To the right of these entries is a 'Show Password' checkbox. At the bottom are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Items	Information
<b>Authentication Type</b>	There are 7 types of authentication modes supported by Utility including open, Shared, LEAP, WPA and WPA-PSK, WPA2 and WPA2-PSK.
<b>Encryption Type</b>	For open and shared authentication mode, the selection of encryption type are None and WEP. For WPA, WPA2, WPA-PSK and WPA2-PSK authentication mode, the encryption type supports both TKIP and AES.
<b>802.1x</b>	Use 802.1x to make WPA and WPA2 certification. This functions only works when connecting to a WPA and WPA2 supported device.
<b>WPA Pre-shared Key</b>	This is the shared secret between AP and STA. For WPA-PSK and WPA2-PSK authentication mode, this field must be filled with character longer than 8 and less than 32 length.
<b>WEP Key</b>	Only valid when using WEP encryption algorithm. The key must matched AP's key.

4. Specify the 802.1x information if you are using the 802.1X certification method.

Users that do not use this function or connecting to an open-wireless network please skip this part.

The screenshot shows the 'Auth. \ Encry.' tab selected in a software interface. The '8021X' tab is active. Under 'EAP Method', 'PEAP' is selected. Under 'Tunnel Authentication', 'EAP-MSCHAP v2' is selected. There is a 'Session Resumption' checkbox which is unchecked. Below these are three tabs: 'ID \ PASSWORD' (selected), 'Client Certification', and 'Server Certification'. The 'ID \ PASSWORD' tab contains fields for 'Authentication ID / Password', 'Identity >>', 'Password >>', and 'Domain Name >>'. The 'Tunnel ID / Password' section below it contains 'Identity >>' and 'Password >>'. At the bottom are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Items	Information
<b>EAP method</b>	To select an EAP method.
<b>Tunnel Authentication</b>	Select a Tunnel authentication mode.
<b>Session Resumption</b>	Select to enable this function or unmark it to disable.

## ID \ PASSWORD

Auth. \ Encry. **8021X**

EAP Method >> PEAP Tunnel Authentication >> EAP-MSCHAP v2  Session Resumption

**ID \ PASSWORD** Client Certification Server Certification

Authentication ID / Password  
 Identity >>  Password >>  Domain Name >>

Tunnel ID / Password  
 Identity >>  Password >>

**OK** **Cancel**

Items	Information
<b>Authentication ID / Password</b>	The identity, password and domain name for server. Only "EAP-FAST" and "LEAP" authentication can be key in domain name. Blank space can be key in domain name.
<b>Tunnel ID / Password</b>	Identity and Password for server.

## Client Certification

Auth. \ Encry. **8021X**

EAP Method >> PEAP Tunnel Authentication >> EAP-MSCHAP v2  Session Resumption

**ID \ PASSWORD** Client Certification Server Certification

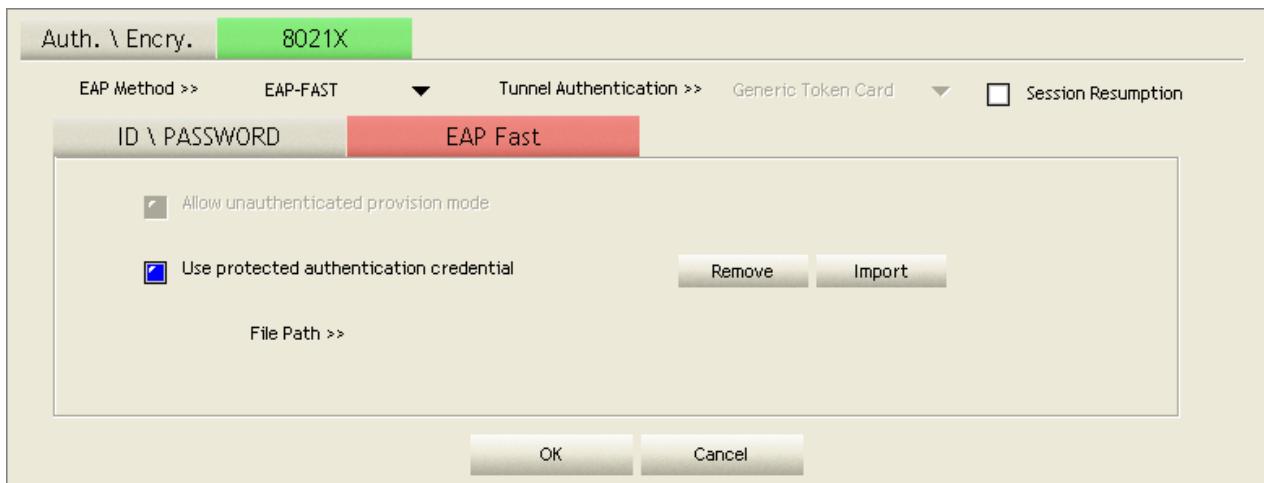
Use Client certificate **wpatest2** 2003serv 4/9/2008

Issued To >> wpatest2  
 Issued By >> 2003serv  
 Expired On >> 4/9/2008  
 Friendly Name >>

**OK** **Cancel**

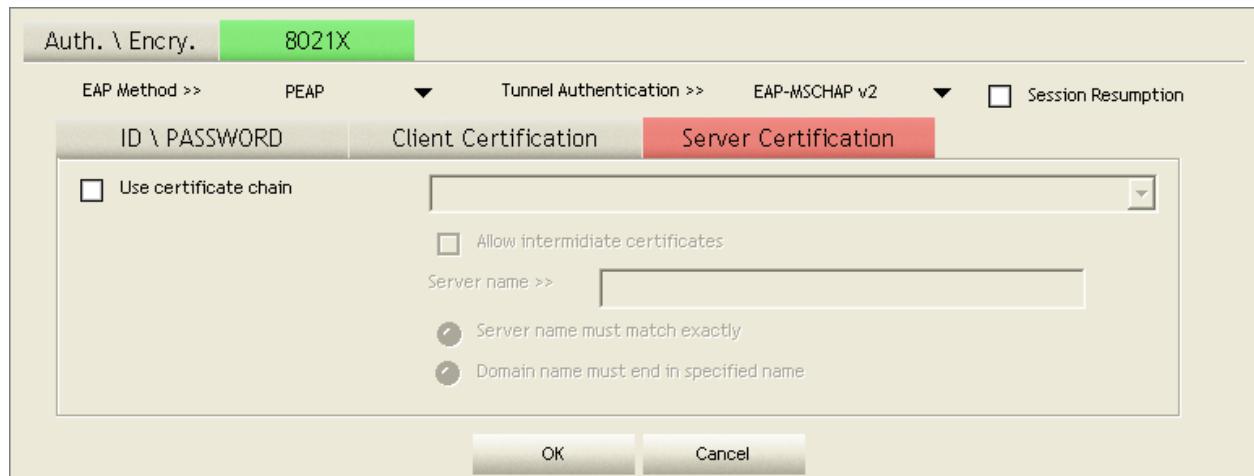
Items	Information
<b>Use Client certificate</b>	Client certificate for server authentication.

## EAP Fast



Items	Information
<b>Allow unauthenticated provision mode</b>	Mark to enable unauthenticated provision mode.
<b>Use protected authentication credential</b>	Mark to use protected authentication credential.

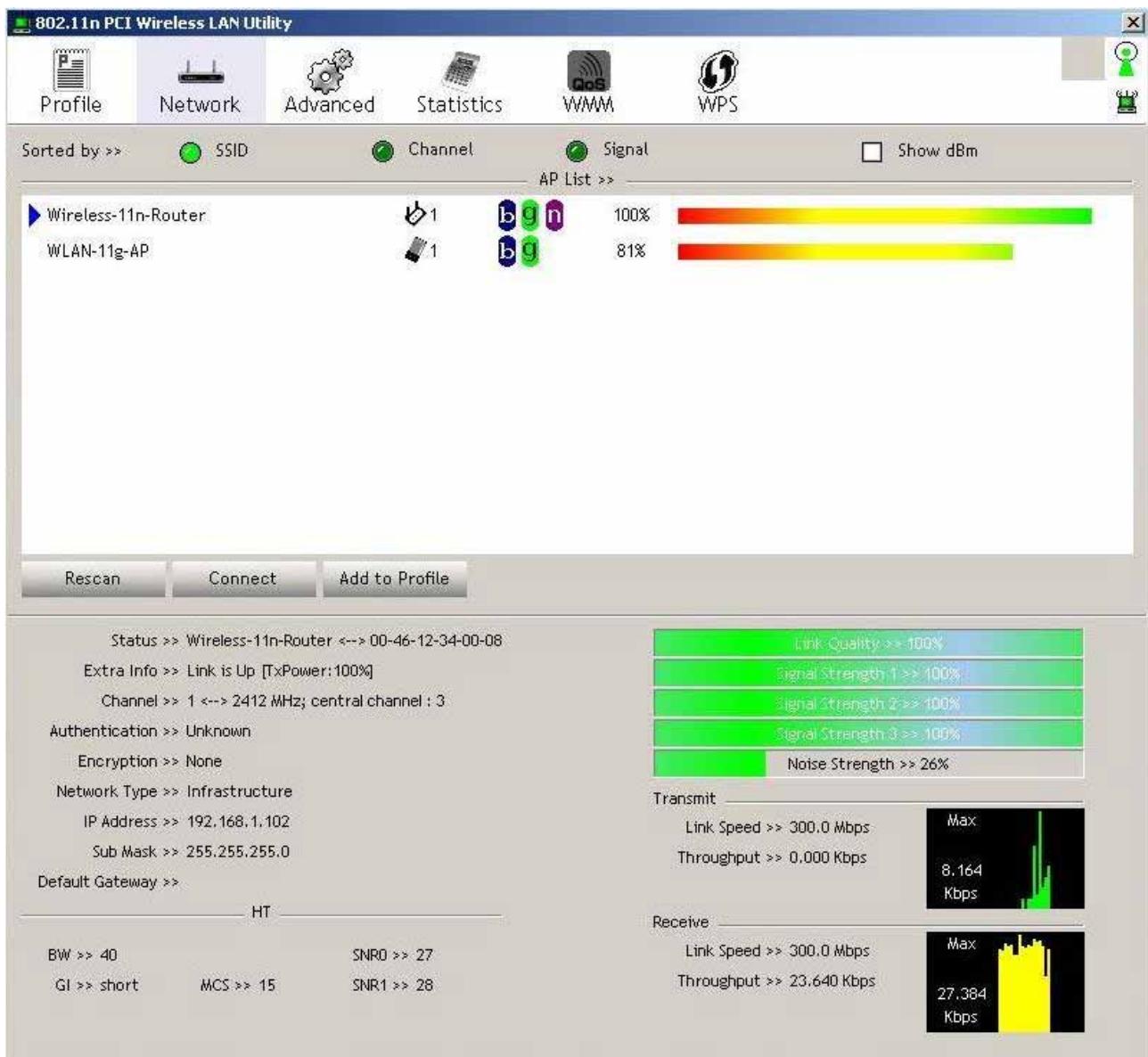
## Server Certification



Items	Information
<b>Use Certificate chain</b>	Mark the checkbox to enable using certification chain.
<b>Allow intimidate certificates</b>	Mark to allow intimidates certification.
<b>Server name</b>	Enter an authentication sever root.

## Network

This network lists the available wireless networks. The Utility connects to a wireless network with best signal strength automatically. You can change the connecting network by clicking on the network name and click the **Connect** button. To see detail information of each network, please double click on each item to pop up the information window.



Items	Information
SSID, Channel and Signal buttons	Click each button to sort the listing networks by SSID, channel and Signal strength.
Show dBm	Mark the checkbox to show the signal strength in dBm.
Rescan	To rescan available wireless networks.
Connect	Click this button to connect to a designated network.
Add to Profile	Click this button to add a network to profile after selecting a network.

## Advanced

This page provides advanced configurations to this adapter. Please refer to the following chart for definitions of each item.

The screenshot shows the 'Advanced' configuration page. At the top, there's a dropdown for 'Wireless mode' set to '802.11 A/B/G/N mix'. Below it are several checkboxes: 'Enable CCX (Cisco Compatible eXtensions)', 'Turn on CCKM', 'Enable Radio Measurements', 'Enable TX Burst', 'Enable TCP Window Size', and 'Show Authentication Status Dialog'. There's also a field to 'Select Your Country Region Code'. Under '11 B/G >>', the channel is set to '0: CH1-11'. Under '11 A >>', the channel is set to '7: CH 36,40,44,48,52,56,60,64,100'. At the bottom is an 'Apply' button.

Items	Information
<b>Wireless mode</b>	Click the drop list to select a wireless mode.
<b>Enable TX Burst</b>	Select to enable connecting to a TX Burst supported device.
<b>Enable TCP Window Size</b>	Mark the checkbox to enable TCP window size, which help enhance throughput.
<b>Fast Roaming at __ dBm</b>	Mark the checkbox to enable fast roaming. Specify the transmit power for fast roaming.
<b>Show Authentication Status Dialog</b>	Mark the checkbox to show "Authentication Status Dialog" while connecting to an AP with authentication. Authentication Status Dialog displays the process about 802.1x authentication.
<b>Enable CCX (Cisco Compatible extensions)</b>	Select to enable CCX. This function can only be applied when connecting to a Cisco compatible device.

## Statistics

Statistics page displays the detail counter information based on 802.11 MIB counters. This page translates the MIB counters into a format easier for user to understand.

Transmit	Receive	
Frames Transmitted Successfully	=	1432
Frames Retransmitted Successfully	=	4
Frames Fail To Receive ACK After All Retries	=	0
RTS Frames Successfully Receive CTS	=	0
RTS Frames Fail To Receive CTS	=	0

[Reset Counter](#)

Items	Information
<b>Use Client certificate</b>	Client certificate for server authentication.
<b>Frames Transmitted Successfully</b>	Frames successfully sent.
<b>Frames Retransmitted Successfully</b>	Successfully retransmitted frames numbers.
<b>Frames Fail To Receive ACK After All Retries</b>	Frames failed transmit after hitting retry limit.
<b>RTS Frames Successfully Receive CTS</b>	Successfully receive CTS after sending RTS frame.
<b>RTS Frames Fail To Receive CTS</b>	Failed to receive CTS after sending RTS.
<b>Restart Counter</b>	Reset counters to zero.

Transmit	Receive	
Frames Received Successfully	=	3153
Frames Received With CRC Error	=	201964
Frames Dropped Due To Out-of-Resource	=	0
Duplicate Frames Received	=	0

[Reset Counter](#)

Items	Information
<b>Use Client certificate</b>	Client certificate for server authentication.
<b>Frames Received Successfully</b>	Frames received successfully.
<b>Frames Received With CRC Error</b>	Frames received with CRC error
<b>Frames Dropped Due To Out-of-Resource</b>	Frames dropped due to resource issue.
<b>Duplicate Frames Received</b>	Duplicate received frames.

## WMM

This page allows users to activate the WMM function for this device. Please note that this function only works while connecting to a WMM compatible device.

WMM Setup Status		
WMM >> Enabled	Power Save >> Disabled	Direct Link >> Disabled
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>WMM Enable</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>WMM - Power Save Enable</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> AC_BK	<input type="checkbox"/> AC_BE	<input type="checkbox"/> AC_VI
<input type="checkbox"/> AC_VO		
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Direct Link Setup Enable</b>		
MAC Address >>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	Timeout Value >> <input type="text" value="60"/> sec
<input type="button" value="Apply"/> <input type="button" value="Tear Down"/>		

Items	Information
<b>Use Client certificate</b>	Client certificate for server authentication.
<b>WMM Enable</b>	Enable Wi-Fi Multi-Media.
<b>WMM - Power Save Enable</b>	Enable WMM Power Save. Please enable WMM before configuring this function.
<b>Direct Link Setup Enable</b>	Enable DLS (Direct Link Setup). Please enable WMM before configuring this function.

## WPS

WPS Configuration: The primary goal of Wi-Fi Protected Setup (Wi-Fi Simple Configuration) is to simplify the security setup and management of Wi-Fi networks. This adapter supports the configuration setup using PIN configuration method or PBC configuration method through an internal or external Registrar.

WPS AP List					
ID : Unknown	AP1-WPS	00-10-18-90-2E-27	1	<input type="button" value="Rescan"/>	
ID : Unknown	Ubicom_Sample	00-0C-43-28-60-20	1	<input type="button" value="Information"/>	
ID : Unknown	arvint-2860AP	00-0C-43-28-60-60	3	<input type="button" value="Pin Code"/>	
ID : Unknown	default	00-18-02-4A-0A-6B	6	<input type="button" value="26460208"/>	
WPS Profile List					
<input type="button" value="PIN"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>WPS Associate IE</b>	Progress >> 0%			
<input type="button" value="PBC"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>WPS Probe IE</b>	WPS status is disconnected			

<b>Items</b>	<b>Information</b>
<b>Use Client certificate</b>	Client certificate for server authentication.
<b>WPS AP List</b>	Display the information of surrounding APs with WPS IE from last scan result. List information includes SSID, BSSID, Channel, ID (Device Password ID), and Security-Enabled.
<b>Rescan</b>	Click to rescan the wireless networks.
<b>Information</b>	Display the information about WPS IE on the selected network. List information include Authentication Type, Encryption Type, Config Methods, Device Password ID, Selected Registrar, State, Version, AP Setup Locked, UUID-E and RF Bands.
<b>PIN Code</b>	8-digit numbers. It is required to enter PIN Code into Registrar using PIN method. Each Network card has only one PIN Code of Enrollee.
<b>Config Mode</b>	Enrollee or an external Registrar.
<b>Table of Credentials</b>	Display all of credentials got from the Registrar. List information includes SSID, MAC Address, Authentication and Encryption Type. If STA Enrollee, credentials are created as soon as each WPS success. If STA Registrar, Utility creates a new credential with WPA2-PSK/AES/64Hex-Key and doesn't change until next switching to STA Registrar.
<b>Detail</b>	Information about Security and Key in the credential.
<b>Connect</b>	Command to connect to the selected network inside credentials.
<b>Rotate</b>	Command to connect to the next network inside credentials.
<b>Disconnect</b>	Stop WPS action and disconnect this active link. And then select the last profile at the Profile Page of Utility if exist. If there is an empty profile page, the driver will select any non-security AP.
<b>Delete</b>	Delete an existing credential. And then select the next credential if exist. If there is an empty credential, the driver will select any non-security AP.
<b>PIN</b>	Start to add to Registrar using PIN configuration method.
<b>PBC</b>	Start to add to AP using PBC configuration method.
<b>WPS associate IE</b>	Send the association request with WPS IE during WPS setup. It is optional for STA.
<b>WPS probe IE</b>	Send the probe request with WPS IE during WPS setup. It is optional for STA.
<b>Progress Bar</b>	Display rate of progress from Start to Connected status.
<b>Status Bar</b>	Display currently WPS Status.

**Note:** When you click PIN or PBC, please don't do any rescan within two-minute connection. If you want to abort this setup within the interval, restart PIN/PBC or click Disconnect to stop WPS action.

## Appendix

## **Introduction to the configuration utility for Vista Users**

This utility helps Vista users to configure the wireless network. Please refer to the following sections for introduction.

## Profile

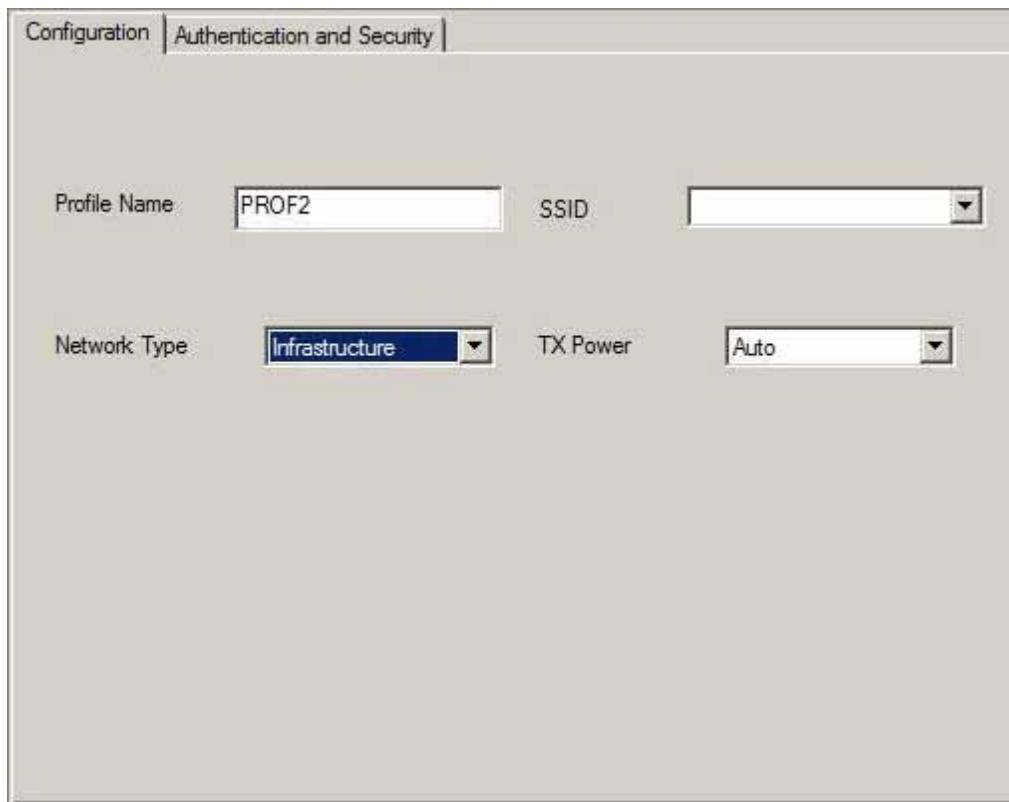
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**Note:** you could also add a new profile quickly by selecting an available network in the **Site Survey** function then click the **Add to Profile** button.

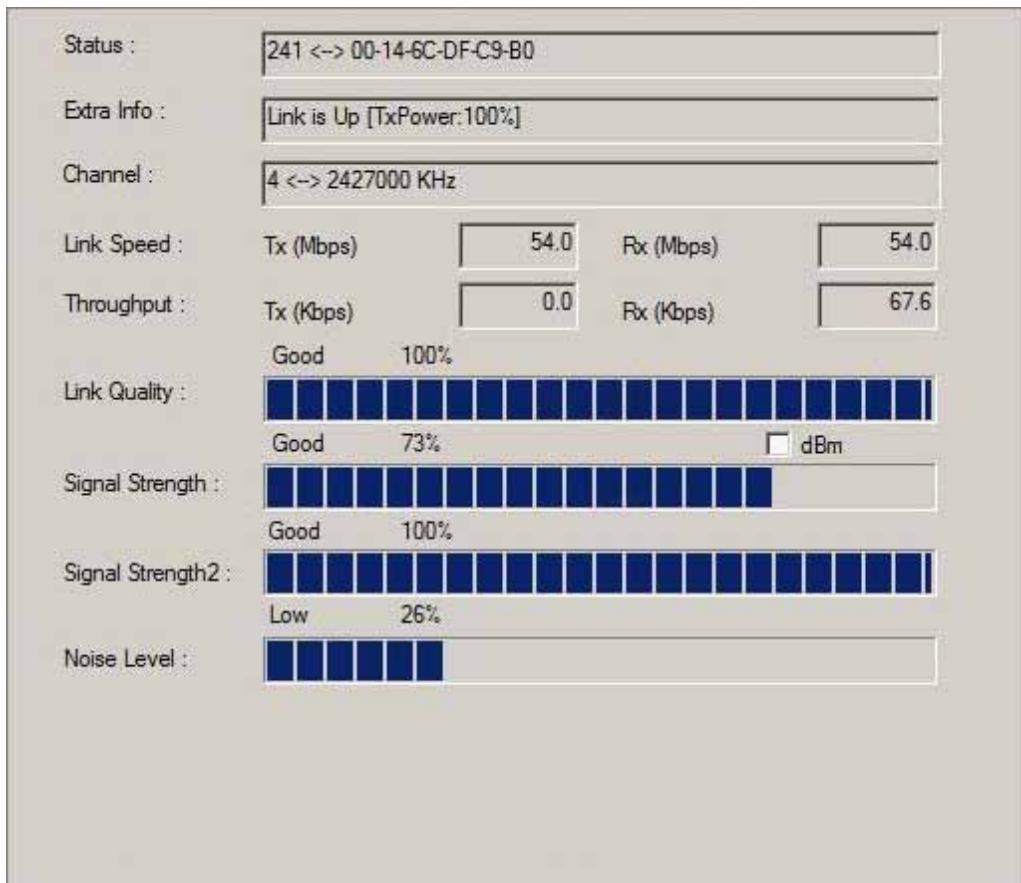
2. Fill in the information of this wireless network and its relative security settings. Please note that the information should be corresponding to the wireless network you are connecting to.



Items	Information
<b>Deleting profile</b>	Click the <b>Delete</b> button to delete the selected profile.
<b>Editing profile</b>	Click the <b>Edit</b> button to pop up the profile-setting page for users to edit the existing profile.
<b>Activating profile</b>	Click the <b>Activate</b> button to activate the selected profile.

## Link Status

This Link status shows the information about the connecting. Please refer to the following chart for definition.



Items	Information
<b>Status</b>	Display current connection status.
<b>Extra Info</b>	Display link status and current channel in use.
<b>Link Speed</b>	Display current transmitting and receiving rates.
<b>Throughput</b>	Display transmitting and receiving throughputs.
<b>Link Quality</b>	Display connecting quality based on signal strength and TX/RX packet error rate.
<b>Signal Strength</b>	Display receiving signal strength either in percentage or dBm format.
<b>Noise Level</b>	Display noise signal strength.

## Site Survey

This page shows the available wireless networks within the coverage of this network adapter. You could check the status of wireless network around your computer or add a network into your profile.

The screenshot shows a software interface for a site survey. At the top, there is a toolbar with icons for signal strength, location, and other settings. Below the toolbar is a table listing various wireless networks (SSIDs) along with their details such as BSSID, Phy Type, Signal strength, Channel, Encryption type, Authentication mode, and Network Type. The table has columns for SSID, BSSID, Phy, Signal, Channel, Encryption, Authentication, and Network. A row for the network '202' is highlighted in green, indicating it is the current connection. At the bottom of the window, there are three buttons: 'Connected <-> 202', 'Rescan', and 'Add to Profile'.

SSID	BSSID	Phy	Signal	Channel	Encryption	Authentication	Network
202	00-0F-F7-EB-25-60	G	91%	1	None	Unknown	Infrastructure
219	00-06-25-49-B1-76	G	65%	1	TKIP	WPA	Infrastructure
221-WEP_...	00-14-1C-15-EE-80	G	65%	1	TKIP	WPA	Infrastructure
jan-bb	00-0C-43-28-60-02	N	100%	1	None	Unknown	Infrastructure
arscadre	00-0C-43-28-70-11	N	100%	1	None	Unknown	Infrastructure
243	00-14-A5-80-6A-01	N	65%	1	None	Unknown	Infrastructure
ClaudeAP	00-0C-76-6F-C5-97	G	76%	1	TKIP	WPA-PSK	Infrastructure
99	00-0F-CC-0B-AC-A0	G	55%	1	TKIP;AES	WPA-PSK	Infrastructure
132	00-E0-B8-76-19-6E	G	91%	2	None	Unknown	Infrastructure

Items	Information
<b>SSID</b>	Name of the network.
<b>BSSID</b>	AP MAC address or random numbers generated for IBSS.
<b>Phy Type</b>	Phy Type of the network.
<b>Signal</b>	Signal strength of the network.
<b>Channel</b>	The channel in use.
<b>Encryption</b>	Encryption algorithm. The supported algorithms are WEP, TKIP, AES, and Not Use.
<b>Authentication</b>	Authentication mode. The supported modes are Unknown, WPA-PSK, WPA2-PSK, WPA and WPA2.
<b>Network Type</b>	Infrastructure or Ad-Hoc.
<b>Rescan</b>	Click the rescan button to perform re-scanning.
<b>Add to profile</b>	Select a network then click the Add to Profile button to bring up the profile-setting to add a wireless network profile.

## Statistics

This page provides the statistics about the connection of this adapter.

Transmit Statistics		
Frames Transmitted Successfully	=	353
Frames Transmitted Successfully After Retry(s)	=	20
Frames Fail To Receive ACK After All Retries	=	2
RTS Frames Successfully Receive CTS	=	0
RTS Frames Fail To Receive CTS	=	0

Receive Statistics		
Frames Received Successfully	=	221
Frames Received Wth CRC Error	=	0
Frames Dropped Due To Out-of-Resource	=	0
Duplicate Frames Received	=	4

Items	Information
<b>Frames Transmitted Successfully</b>	Frames sent successfully.
<b>Frames Transmitted Successfully After Retry</b>	Frames sent successfully with retry.
<b>Frames Fail To Receive ACK After All Retries</b>	Frames transmitted failed after hitting the retrying limit.
<b>RTS Frames Successfully Receive CTS</b>	CTS frames received successfully after sending RTS frames.
<b>RTS Frames Fail To Receive CTS</b>	The missing CTS frames after sending RTS frames.
<b>Frames Received Successfully</b>	Frames received successfully.
<b>Frames Received With CRC Error</b>	Frames received with CRC error.
<b>Frames Dropped Due To Out-of-Resource</b>	Frames dropped due to insufficient resource.
<b>Duplicate Frames Received</b>	Duplicate frames received.

## WPS Configuration

This page provides users to connect this adapter to a WPS (Wi-Fi Protected Setup) AP. Those available WPS supported AP are listed on the upper column. Select the AP that you want to connect to and click the **Connect** button to activate.

### WPS Associate IE:

If the "WPS Associate IE" option is checked, station sends a association request with WPS IE during WPS setup.

### WPS Probe IE:

If the "WPS Probe IE" option is checked, station probes a request with WPS IE during WPS setup.

The screenshot shows the WPS Configuration interface. At the top, there is a table listing available Wi-Fi access points (APs) with columns for SSID, BSSID, Channel, ID, Authentication, and Encryption. The table contains three entries: '2860AP' (BSSID 00:0C:43:28:60:31, Channel 11, Authentication Unknown, Encryption None), 'WPSAP' (BSSID 00:0C:43:28:60:60, Channel 6, Authentication WPA-PSK, Encryption TKIP), and 'ClaudeWpsAP' (BSSID 00:14:85:E3:D7:8B, Channel 1, Authentication WPA-PSK, Encryption TKIP). To the right of the table are several buttons: 'Rescan', 'WPS Information', 'Pin Code' (containing '66851882'), 'Detail', 'Connect', 'Rotate', 'Disconnect', and 'Delete'. Below the AP list is another table showing the selected AP ('2860AP') with columns for SSID, MAC Address, Authentication, and Encryption. The 'Authentication' field shows 'OPEN' and 'Encryption' shows 'NONE'. At the bottom left are two buttons: 'PIN' and 'PBC'. Next to them are two checked checkboxes: 'WPS Associate IE' and 'WPS Probe IE'. To the right of these checkboxes is a progress bar consisting of 15 blue squares. A status message at the bottom right says 'WPS status is connected successfully - RT2860AP\_Baron'.

### Re-scanning:

Click the **Rescan** button to perform the re-scanning.

### WPS AP Information:

Click the **WPS information** button to bring up the WPS capable AP information dialog window. The window shows the information including:

### Authentication Type:

There are three types of supported authentication modes including Open, Shared, WPA-PSK and WPA modes.

### Encryption Type:

For Open and Shared authentication modes, the available encryption types are None and WEP. For WPA, WPA2, WPA-PSK and WPA2-PSK authentication modes, the available encryption types are TKIP and AES.

**Config Methods:**

This attribute contains the config methods supported and enabled by the selected Registrar.

**Device Password ID:**

Device Password ID indicates the method or identifies the specific password that the selected Registrar intends to use.

**Selected Registrar:**

Selected Registrar indicates if the user has recently activated a Registrar to add an Enrollee.

**State:**

This attribute is used to indicate the current configuration state. This attribute is either "Un-configured" or "Configured".

**Version:**

This attribute is the specified WPS version.

**AP Setup Locked:**

AP Setup Locked indicates if AP has entered a setup locked state.

**UUID-E:**

UUID-E is universally unique identifier (UUID) generated by the Enrollee.

**RF Bands:**

RF Bands indicate the available RF bands.

**Configure WPS profiles:**

The user can configure WPS profiles with either PIN method or PBC method.

**PIN Method:**

Step 1: The Registrar enters the pin code generated by station.

Step 2: Push the "PIN" button.

**PBC Method:**

Push the "PBC" button within 2 second while the Registrar pushes the button.

**Manage WPS profiles:**

The received WPS profiles are listed in the lower frame, and the listed WPS profile attributes are SSID, MAC address, authentication type, and encryption type.

**WPS profile detail information:**

Selecting a profile then pushing the "Detail" button brings up the WPS profile.



This profile shows information including:

**Connect with WPS profile:**

Clicking the "Connect" button will connect to AP with the selected WPS profile.

**Rotate WPS profiles:**

If there are more than two WPS profiles, clicking the "Rotate" button will rotate to next profile and connect to AP with this profile. If the connection can't be established successfully, station will perform the WPS profile rotation repeatedly.

**Disconnect from WPS AP:**

Click the "Disconnect" button to stop the WPS connection.

**Delete WPS profile:**

Click the "Delete" button to delete the selected WPS profile.

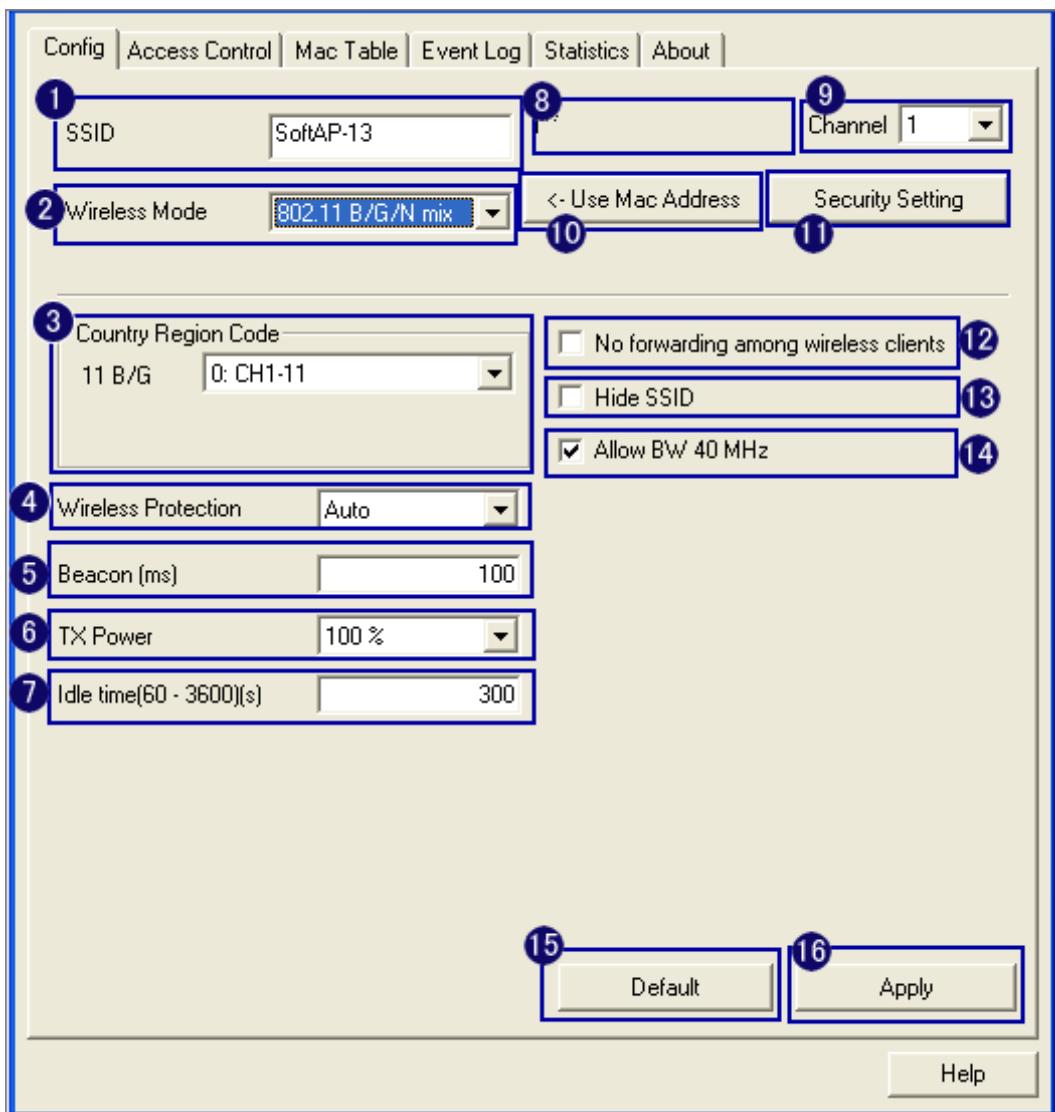
# AP mode management guide

This adapter can be configured as AP mode. To function this adapter as an AP, please right click the  icon on system tray and select **Switch to AP mode**. Please refer to the following introduction to information about this AP-mode utility.

**Note:** In windows XP, it provides WPA support at hotfix Q815485 However; you have to make sure that hotfix Q815485 (require XP SP1 installed) has been installed in your system before you can start using WPA features. You can check the installation of hotfix in add/remove software page under control panel.

## Config

This page provides overall configuration to this adapter. Please find the following items for identification to each field.

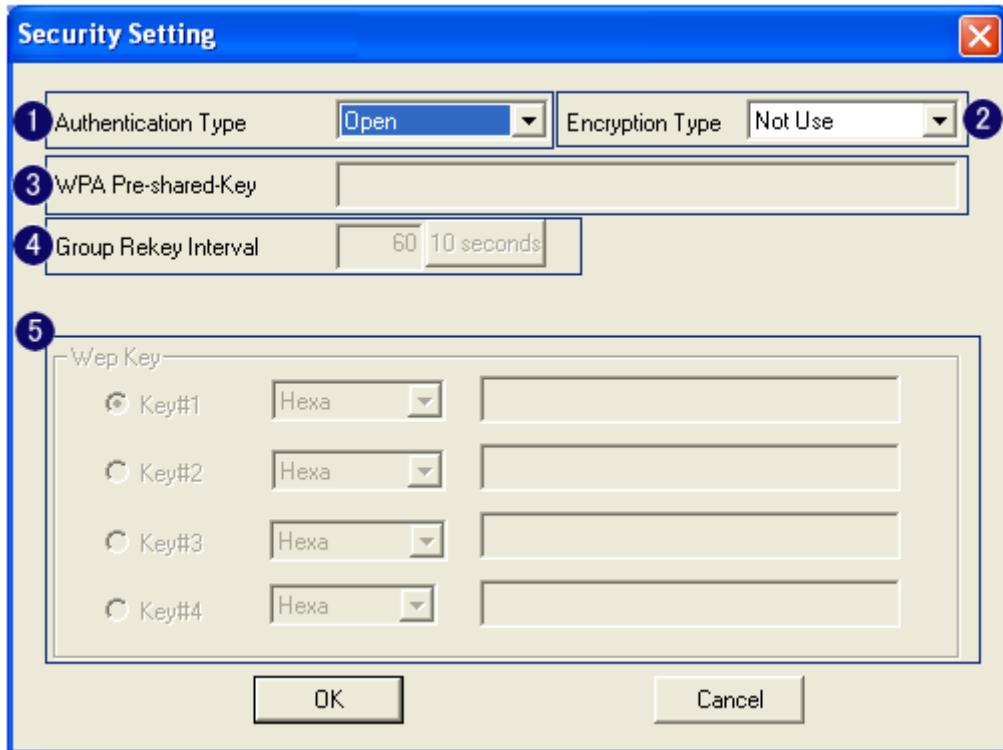


- 1. SSID:** AP name of user type. User also can select [Use Mac Address] to display it.
- 2. Wireless Mode:** Select wireless mode. 802.11 B/G mix, 802.11B only, 802.11A only, 802.11G only, 802.11 B/G/N mix and 802.11 A/N mix mode are supported. When wireless card is 802.11N, system default is 802.11 B/G/N mix; Otherwise system default is 802.11 B/G mix (802.11 B/G/N mix selection item only exists for B/G/N adapter).
- 3. Country Region Code:** eight countries to choose. Country channel list:
 

Classification	Range
0: FCC (Canada)	CH1 ~ CH11
1: ETSI	CH1 ~ CH13
2: SPAIN	CH10 ~ CH11
3: FRANCE	CH10 ~ CH13
4: MKK	CH14 ~ CH14
5: MKKI (TELEC)	CH1 ~ CH14
6: ISRAEL	CH3 ~ CH9
7: ISRAEL	CH5 ~ CH13
- 4. Wireless Protection:** Auto, on, and off. System default is auto.
  - a. Auto: STA will dynamically change as AP announcement.
  - b. On: Always send frame with protection.
  - c. Off: Always send frame without protection.
- 5. Beacon (ms):** The time between two beacons. System default is 100 ms.
- 6. TX Power:** Manually force the AP transmits power. System default is 100%.
- 7. TX Rate:** Manually force the Transmit using selected rate. Default is auto.
- 8. Idle Time:** Manually force the Idle Time using selected value. Default is 300.
- 9. Channel:** Manually force the AP using the channel. System default is channel 1.
- 10. Use Mac Address:** Use MAC address of used wireless card to be AP name. System default is APX (X is last number of Mac Address).
- 11. Security Setting:** Authentication mode and encryption algorithm used within the AP. System default is no authentication and encryption.
- 12. No forwarding among wireless clients:** No beacon among wireless client, clients can share information each other. System default is no forwarding.
- 13. Hide SSID:** Prevent this AP from recognized in wireless network. This is disabled as default.
- 14. Allow BW40 MHz:** Allow BW40 MHz capability.
- 15. Default:** Use system default value.
- 16. Apply:** Apply the above changes.

## Security Setting

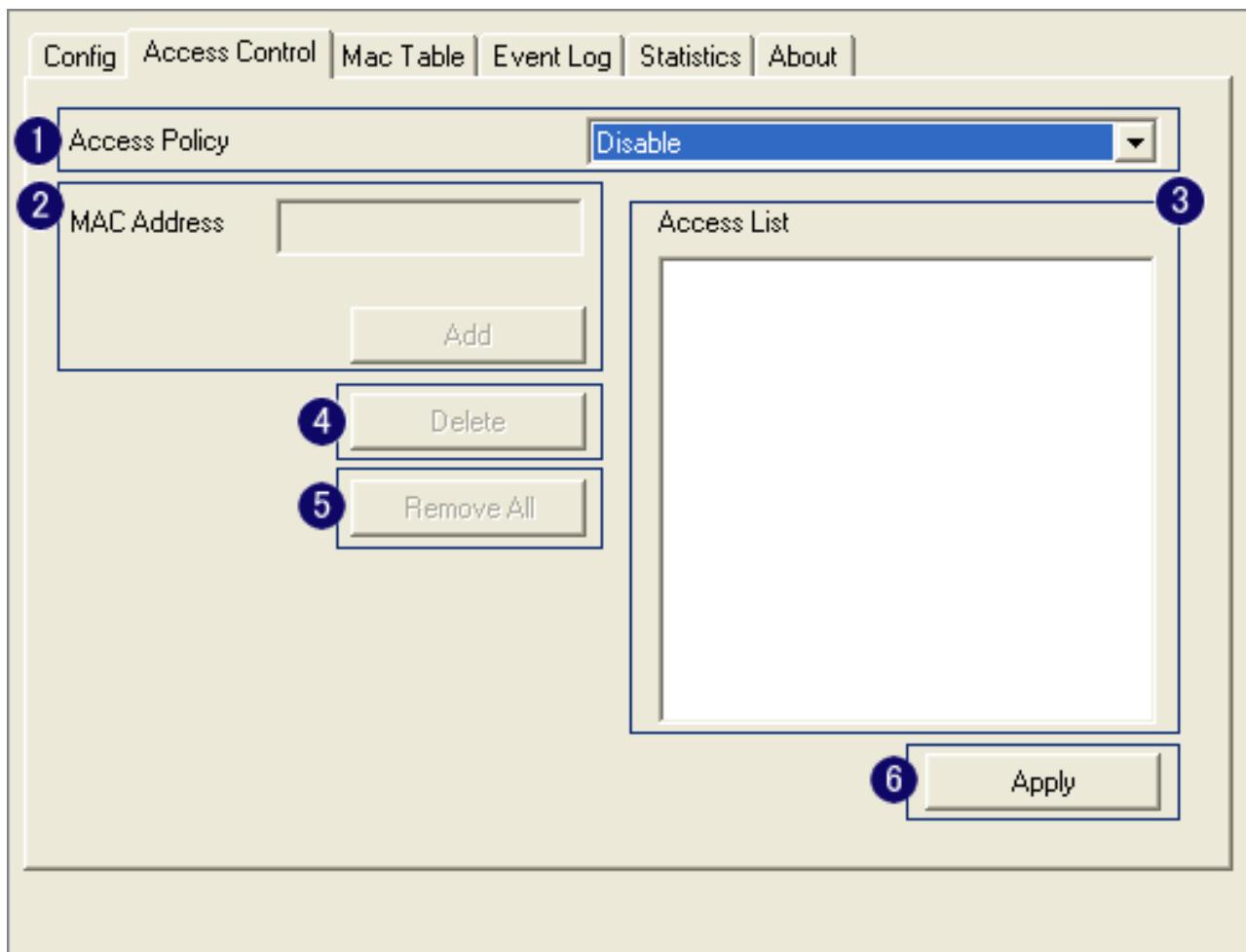
This page pops up after clicking the **Security Settings** button. Please follow the instructions below:



Items	Information
1. Authentication Type	Select to be open or WPA-PSK system.
2. Encryption Type	Select an encryption type from the drop list.
3. WPA Pre-shared Key	A shared string between AP and STA. For WPA-PSK authentication mode, this field must be filled with character longer than 8 and less than 32 length.
4. Group Rekey Interval	Only valid when using WPA-PSK encryption algorithm. The key will change compliance with seconds or beacon that user set.
5. WEP Key	Only valid when using WEP encryption algorithm. The key must match the key on AP. There are several formats to enter the keys. a. Hexadecimal (40bits): 10 Hex characters. b. Hexadecimal (128bits): 32Hex characters. c. ASCII (40bits): 5 ASCII characters. d. ASCII (128bits): 13 ASCII characters.

## Access Control

This function filters users to use this device by designating MAC address. Please refer to the following chart for introduction.



Items	Information
1. Access Policy	Choose a method to process access control from the drop list to determine the MAC addresses that you designated are allowed to access the AP or not.
2. MAC Address	Add allowed (or denied) MAC addresses to the MAC address list.
3. Access List	Display all Mac Addresses that you designated.
4. Delete	Delete Mac addresses that you selected.
5. Remove All	Remove all Mac address in [Access List].
6. Apply	Apply changes.

## MAC Table

This page displays the station detail information of current connection.

MAC Address		
MAC Address	AID	Power Saving Mode
00-0C-43-11-22-33	1	No

Items	Information
MAC Address	The station MAC address of current connection.
AID	Raise value by current connection.
Power Saving Mode	Check if the connected station supports power saving.

## Event Log

Record Soft AP all event time and message.

Event Time (yy/mm/dd- hh:mm:ss)		Message
2004 / 09 / 21 - 16 : 38 : 44		Restart Access Point
2004 / 09 / 21 - 16 : 42 : 39		00-0C-43-11-22-33 associated
2004 / 09 / 21 - 16 : 43 : 44		00-0C-43-11-22-33 left this BSS
2004 / 09 / 21 - 16 : 43 : 46		00-0C-43-11-22-33 associated

Items	Information
Event Time (yy/mm/dd-hh:mm:ss)	Record event time.
Message	All event messages.

## Statistics

Statistics page displays the detail counter information based on 802.11 MIB counters.

The screenshot shows a web-based statistics interface with the following sections:

- Transmit Statistics (Section 1):**

Frames Transmitted Successfully	=	14
Frames Fail To Receive ACK After All Retries	=	0
RTS Frames Successfully Receive CTS	=	0
RTS Frames Fail To Receive CTS	=	0
Frames Transmitted Successfully After Retry	=	0
- Receive Statistics (Section 2):**

Frames Received Successfully	=	0
Frames Received With CRC Error	=	2108
Frames Dropped Due To Out-of-Resource	=	0
Duplicate Frames Received	=	0
- Reset Counters (Section 3):**

A button labeled "RESET COUNTERS" with a blue outline and a small number "3" above it.

### 1. Transmit Statistics

Items	Information
<b>Frames Transmitted Successfully</b>	Frames that successfully sent.
<b>Frames Fail To Receive ACK After All Retries</b>	Frames that failed to transmit after hitting retry limit.
<b>RTS Frames Successfully Receive CTS</b>	Counts of CTS that successfully received after sending RTS frame.
<b>RTS Frames Fail To Receive CTS</b>	Counts of CTS that fail to be received after sending RTS frame.
<b>Frames Retransmitted Successfully</b>	Successfully retransmitted frames numbers.

### 2. Recieve Statistics

Items	Information
<b>Frames Received Successfully</b>	Frames received successfully.
<b>Frames Received With CRC Error</b>	Frames received with CRC error.
<b>Frames Dropped Due To Out-of-Resource</b>	Frames dropped due to resource issue.
<b>Duplicate Frames Received</b>	Duplicate received frames.

**3. Reset Counters:** Reset counters to zero.

# Product Specification

**Standard**

IEEE 802.11n draft 2.0, IEEE 802.11b, IEEE 802.11g

**Interface**

PCI 2.3

**Security**

64/128-bit WEP, WPA, WPA2

**Receiver Sensitivity**

802.11b-88dBm, 802.11g-75dBm,

802.11n-65dBm

**Channel**

USA 11, Europe 13

**Transmit Power**

802.11b 18dBm, 802.11g 15dBm,

802.11n 20MHz and 802.11n 40MHz 18dBm

**Range Coverage**

Indoor 35~100 meters

Outdoor 100~300 meters

**Operating Temperature**

0- 40°C (32 – 104°F)

**Operating Humidity**

10% ~ 90% (non-condensing)

**Emission**

FCC Class B, CE